

Evening Chat

There are 64 tons of candy made in the city of Fairmont each year; caramels, chocolates, nougats, foundants, taffy, fudge, kisses, mints, creams, and more than a hundred other concoctions of the candy makers art. Comuntz is the largest manufacturer, making approximately 100,000 pounds of confectionary each year. The Boston confectionary makes about 28,000 pounds a year.

The making of candy is an art that is very hard to learn, and in which its adepts take as much pride as would master a violin. James Lembessi, head candy maker for Comuntz, is always at work experimenting with new combinations, trying to devise something more toothsome than has ever yet been found. Just as eager is his contemporary, John Charles, the Boston Confectionary. John, in the past few days has evolved something which he says is one of the finest things he ever done. Bologna is the unromantic name that has been given his product, which is a delicious, saucy looking stick of a peculiar cream, filled with nuts and coated with chocolate.

Like the majority of other industries, candy making has been hard hit by the war. Sugar, everyone knows, has went out of sight, but not so many persons are aware that the red coloring matter which is used most in coloring candies, has advanced from \$150 a barrel to \$1,500, and hard to get at that. Pistachio nuts are not to be found at any price. In 1914 a shipment of 500 cases of Pistachio nuts was received at New York from Syria and that has been the last shipment made.

Candy making for the holidays will be started the first of next month, when the weather will be propitious for the making of many of the holiday varieties. Candy making is governed largely by the seasons, it being impossible to make some kinds unless the temperature is just so. Both plants making candy in Fairmont are planning some special things for the holiday trade, and if they "take on" they will be made in large quantities. "It is very hard to get the public to take up some new candy," said Mr. Comuntz this afternoon, "although oftentimes they buy readily of a much inferior product simply because they have been started on it."

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE PARTY
Wednesday, October 4, 1916, the many friends, neighbors and relatives of Mrs. Martha Brookover met at her home on Paw Paw creek to celebrate her sixtieth birthday anniversary. She was very much surprised when they came with well filled baskets, good things to eat. Those present were Mrs. John McEe, Mrs. Elthu Yost, Mrs. Frank Carpenter, Mrs. H. D. Eddy, Mrs. George Michael, Mrs. Lon Underwood, Mrs. Mary Gump, Mrs. Albert Clayton, Mrs. Clark Jones and daughter, Gertrude; Mrs. Sanford Parker, and three children, Stella, Wilma and Mary; Mrs. Jessie Parker and four children, Edna, Rachael, Chester and Emory; Mrs. Maryworth Parker, and two children, Ralph and Hazel; Mr. Marion Brookover, Thomas Brookover, Frank Parker and Evangelist Thaddeus S. Hutson. After dinner Mrs. Brookover took a ride in a pony cart pulled by two ladies, a feature which was enjoyed by all present. Mrs. Brookover's eldest granddaughter, Miss Stella Parker, was sixteen on the same day she was sixty. Mrs. Brookover received many beautiful and useful presents.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Jenkins and daughter, Miss Martha, formerly of this city but for the last several years residents of Jenkins, Ky., will return to this city in the near future to reside.

Mrs. A. J. Stone left this morning for Covington, Va., where she will spend several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. T. M. Gathright and Mrs. W. E. Waddell.

Mrs. Ingle Malone and little daughter who had been the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Houtt on Maple avenue, left yesterday for their home in Youngstown, O. They were accompanied by Miss Hazel Houtt, who will spend several weeks there.

Miss Margaret Arnett, who had been the guest of friends here, has returned to her home in Morgantown.

Mrs. E. W. Howard is the guest of relatives in Masontown and Pt. Marion, Pa.

Mrs. Zana Blackshere, of Mannington, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Lou Fox yesterday.

The Misses Dorothy and Mary Kathryn Howard, Mary Louise Conn, Mary Fleming and Lewis Howard leave this afternoon in the Howard touring car for Uniontown, Pa., where they will spend the week-end with relatives.

Mrs. Ira Smith will accompany them to Masontown, Pa., where she will spend several days with relatives.

T. W. Burlingame, of New Martinsville, was here yesterday transacting business with the Consolidation Coal Co. He was the guest of his sister, Mrs. A. W. Binns.

Mrs. Helen Holbert, who is ill at Cook Hospital, was slightly improved today.

Arthur Musgrave, of McCordsville, was a business visitor in the city today.

Mrs. L. Z. Wetzel has returned from Littleton, where she had spent a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pettit.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pryor motored to Waynesburg yesterday and spent the day.

Miss Mildred LeMasters has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Leroy Taylor in Morgantown, for several days.

When Croup Comes
Treat Externally

The old method of dosing delicate little stomachs with nauseous drugs is wrong and harmful. Try the external treatment—Vick's "Vapo-Rub" Salve. Just rub a little over the throat and chest. The vapors, released by the body heat, loosen the choking phlegm and ease the difficult breathing. A bedtime application insures sound sleep. 50c, 60c, or \$1.00.

VICK'S VAPOR-RUB SALVE

FAIRVIEW.

Mrs. Ida Jarvis and Mrs. Claude Jarvis were in Fairmont shopping Wednesday.

C. C. Ward and family have moved from Basnettville into the Fred Drago property.

W. D. Ice, Mrs. Ollie Toothman, Mrs. Margaret Snodgrass Irwin Toothman and Mrs. Owen Price motored to Farmington Wednesday to attend the singing association.

A. J. Snyder and family have moved into the Reason Fox property on High street.

Mr. and Mrs. David Sturgis, of Morgantown, were the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Machesney this week.

Karl Hamilton was a Clarksburg visitor Thursday.

Mrs. W. M. Bowman delightedly entertained the Needle Craft Sewing Circle Wednesday afternoon after a very pleasant afternoon spent sewing and visiting, the hostess served refreshments. The members present were Mrs. Rose Garrison, Mrs. Wm. Yost, Mrs. Robt. Rynd, Mrs. Mable Trippett, Mrs. J. C. McChesney, Mrs. Brooks Fordyce, Mrs. Willis Haught, Mrs. Ira Yost, Mrs. Wm. Knode, Mrs. C. O. Will.

Russell Eddy, of Cumberland, Md., is visiting his sisters, Mrs. W. D. Yost and Mrs. A. C. Garrison.

J. L. Tennant is a business visitor at Cambridge, Ohio.

The funeral of Les Burns, son of John H. Burns who died at Cumberland, Md., Wednesday will be held in the Catholic church, Fairmont, Saturday morning at 9 o'clock and interment will be made in the Holy Cross cemetery.

Mrs. Henicker is nursing at the home of Mrs. Lessie Parker McCoy at Grant Town. They are the happy parents of a new baby.

Mrs. Josephine Haymond, of Fairmont, was a visitor in town Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Scott, of Pittsburgh, are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. J. B. Story.

Byron Billingslea, of Fairmont, was a visitor here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Burns, of Wheeling arrived Thursday evening for the funeral of Leo Burns Saturday morning. They motored from Cumberland, Md., where they were when he died.

HARRIS RE-UNION
Plans are about completed for a large gathering of members of the Harris family at Catawba on Saturday, October 14. A good program is in preparation, comprising some literary numbers, music and several addresses appropriate to this first reunion of a very large and wide-distributed family. The family is an old one in the county, government data showing the name of Harris among the residents of Pennsylvania and western Virginia at the time of the formation of the Republic. It is expected that there will be a very large attendance on this occasion, and that the re-union will be made an annual affair.

The program will be given in the M. P. church and the meeting will begin at 9:30 in the morning and last till about 3:30. A big "basket dinner" will be an attractive feature. Those who wish to come on the Monongahela railway may be ferried across the river from Radcliff station.

SAVE PAPERS AND RAGS.

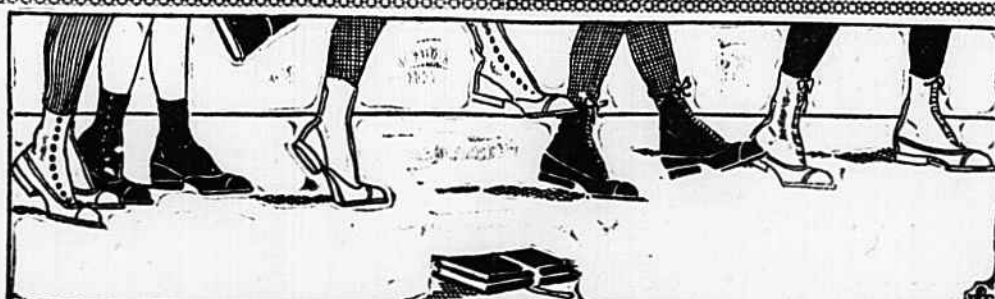
The Presbyterian Legion society will gather old papers, rags and rubber the first of next week. If you haven't already been solicited please call Bell Phone 253 and Consolidated phone 825. Tie string around bundle and they will be called for.—Adv't.

Dancing Opportunity

Miss Netta Friedman will conduct private lessons in dancing at her home on 311 Maple avenue. Special attention will be given on Saturday afternoon to school children. Phone today, 255 R Bell.—Adv't.

KILL THE EARLY COLD WITH KREW-PINA

Cold, foggy mornings and nights with warm days are giving hundreds of people both old and young, bad colds. But Krew-Pina, the remedy that afforded such a speedy yet permanent relief to many Fairmont people who had heavy colds, coughs and croup last winter, can be had at any good drug store. Applied to the chest and nostrils and rubbed in with the tips of the fingers, it keeps the cold loose, allays the cough, prevents croup, and almost before you know it the cold is gone. Keep Krew-Pina in the home all the time for emergencies. 25 cent and fifty cent sizes at all good drug stores.



Shoes that Boys Can "Bully Rag" and Not Wear Out

Our new fall and winter shoes for boys will stand all the rough and tumble wear a good live boy will give them. They are built for that purpose, and are strong, sturdy and yet stylish, and are reasonably priced. Remember that we give a nice one-piece maple pen and pencil box free with every pair of shoes costing \$2.00 or more. Prices \$1.50 to \$3.50.

ICE & HARDISTY

SHOES AND HOSIERY FOR ALL THE FAMILY.

LOCAL SOCIAL EVENTS

To Make First Appearance.

The Woman's double quartette, a new musical organization of the Woman's club makes its first appearance this afternoon at the Autumn Re-union and club tea, an event marking the opening of the club year. They will render three selections as follows: A Twilight Dream, Gillet; The Night has a Thousand Eyes, Lynes; and Greetings to Spring, Strauss. The personnel of the double quartette is as follows: Mrs. Clyde H. Neill, Misses Virginia Mulvey, Edna Jacobs; Florence Cavender, first and second sopranos, and Meadames C. A. Pilon, A. C. S. H. Forrest Fankhauser and Miss Bertha Dilgarde, first and second altos. Miss Laura Briggs is piano accompanist.

To Entertain Class.

Mrs. L. E. Morgan will entertain the Friendship Class of the First M. E. church, South, Sunday school tonight at her home on Locust avenue. Members are asked to be present.

GEORGETOWN.

Mrs. Ora Barb still continues very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith Straight, of Barrackville, are visiting Mrs. Mattie McElroy.

Mrs. Delia Fisher spent last Tuesday afternoon at the home W. M. Ralphander.

Karl Arnett is repairing his new home by putting up a new kitchen. Mr. and Mrs. Elza Arnett, Miss Nellie Peppers, Mrs. Samuel Leeper, of Fairmont, motored to the homes of James and Karl Arnett Tuesday and spent the day.

Mrs. Delia Fisher spent Friday afternoon at Mrs. Mattie McElroy's, visiting Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Straight.

N. E. Fisher is working for Dennis Trickett.

Miss Barbe, of Fairview, is staying with Mrs. Otto Barbe.

Smith Wisman, who has been sick, is now improving.

N. E. Fisher spent Sunday afternoon with Dennis Trickett and Smith Wisman at the Mine.

George Robey, who has been on the sick list, is better.

Robert, son of Smith Wisman, who has been very ill, is improving.

Mr. Will Barker and daughter Mildred, of Morgantown, motored to the home of Will Snider and spent Sunday.

Mrs. Ota Michael left for Parsonsburg Wednesday to attend the W. C. T. U. convention, where she will represent the Arnettville Union.

Mrs. Tricie Blue, of Fairmont, is at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Michael, and is quite sick.

The best oyster is no better than the cracker that goes with it. Eat **Oysterettes** for the full enjoyment of the oyster flavor—in steaks or on the half shell.

At your grocer's. Always fresh.

NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY

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Pain in Back of Neck Often Denotes Kidney Weakness.

Symptoms of kidney trouble are various, but pain in back of neck and dull, aching feelings in small of back are to be looked for.

Simply by realizing that these distresses are often the onset or signals of kidney trouble it is well to get rid of them immediately by toning the kidneys.

The very best way to do this is by taking a little "Anuric" with the meals. In this way it is dissolved with the food and finally reaches the kidneys, where it has a tonic effect.

"Anuric" was recently discovered by Doctor Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., where it has been thoroughly tested in his Invalids' Hotel and found 37 times more potent than lithia.

Kidney, Bladder and Uric Acid troubles bring misery to many. When the kidneys are weak or diseased, these natural filters do not cleanse the blood sufficiently, and the poisons are carried to all parts of the body. There follow depression, aches and pains, heaviness, drowsiness, irritability, headaches, chilliness and rheumatism. In some people there are sharp pains in the back and loins, distressing bladder disorders and sometimes obstinate dropsy. The uric acid sometimes forms into gravel or kidney stones. When the uric acid affects the muscles and joints, it causes lumbago, rheumatism, gout or sciatica.

"Anuric" conquers uric acid as hot water melts sugar.

Some one daily offers his or her words of praise of "Anuric." Here is what Mr. HORACE FARNSWORTH has to say:—"For the last year I had neuralgia and rheumatism in the left shoulder, and for the past six months have not even been able to raise my arm and couldn't sleep at night, the pain was so great. Recently I decided to try 'Anuric.' I have been using the tablets but a short time, but the pain has almost left my shoulder and I can raise my arm and use it, which I couldn't do before. 'Anuric' is the only remedy I have found that has helped me, and I have used dozens of other medicines."

Step in the drug store and get "Anuric," or send Dr. Pierce 10c for trial package.



Now's the Time, Here's the Store and You Can Get Your New Clothes At Once

AUTUMN MILLINERY
Simplicity and Line That Make for Charming Effect

To this, add quality of fabric—fo; the least expensive hat in the Millinery room has been selected with that feature in mind.

We are very enthusiastic over the new creations in velour, and hatter's plush at \$3.75 to \$10. They have caught and repeated the telling style points of very much more costly models. And their quality is worthy their answering all purposes of the more expensive model.

Black, of course, is the leading color, but you may have any color to match your new Autumn apparel in this collection at \$3.75 to \$10.00.

A visit to the Millinery Store will repay you over and over—the Autumn stocks are at their best. Second Floor.



Women's Winter Suits at \$18.25 to \$29.50

At this moment the racks are hanging full of beautiful new styles at these prices.

The suits are rather conservative and very wearable. They are made of broadcloth, gabardine, poplin, serge and velour in newest autumn shades and plenty of blues and black. They are trimmed with velvet, plush or fur and there are many pleated models and novel belt effects. The coats generally button high at the throat or open, whichever the wearer wishes. Second Floor.

Women's New Dresses at \$6.75 to \$25.00

Including the "Betty Wales" dresses, there is the most comprehensive assortment we have ever shown at this time of the season. Serge dresses and serge and satin combined are the leading materials. The styles are as new as can be, and the colors are the good Autumn shades and blues and black. Second Floor.

Home Craft Week Begins Next Monday

A week devoted particularly to the showing of all that is new and desirable in the way of home furnishings for decorative purposes, such as curtains, draperies, and the like. The Drapery Department will be in gala dress and gladly offer new ideas and special values during the week. Third Floor.

All the New Dress Goods Have Their Special Showing This Week

This special display is to remind women now planning their fall and winter sewing that the Dress Goods section is ready with complete stocks of Fall Fabrics.

Beautiful New Silks in stripes, checks and plain colors, \$1.25 to \$2.50.

Lustrous Broadcloths in every new autumn shade you might wish at \$2.00 and \$2.50.

French Serges in soft, fine weaves and eight different colors, \$1.25 and \$1.50 a yard.

Plushes, velvets, coatings and all the wanted materials and trimmings are now ready in full force. Third Floor.

Boys' New School Suits

that will hold their shapeliness because they are made of all-wool, and with a careful thought of wear in mind. There is a fine range of patterns and colors. The style is Norfolk, patch pockets and patch back—\$4.00 to \$12.00 for ages 6 to 15 yrs. First Floor.

Many Novelties in the Art Needlework Section

There are many new things—made and to be made—and women planning gifts and winter work generally will find many suggestions. First Floor, Rear

New Blankets at Moderate Prices

So far as the bed clothing store is concerned, Winter may do its worst. There are stacks and stacks of fine all-wool blankets, part wool blankets and cotton blankets of the best grades procurable for the money. There are neat all-over plaids and pretty border effects, and the prices are lower than you will probably find elsewhere.

WOOL BLANKETS \$2.75 to \$15.00

COTTON BLANKETS \$1.00 to \$ 5.00

See Our Window Display

Third Floor Annex

New Furniture, New Rugs, New Draperies, New Linoleums—All New in Style and All of Standard Quality, Ready for the New Season's Home Making.

Third, Fourth and Fifth Floors.



Women's Fine Shoes

There are many models in various smart styles and desirable leathers. Many two-toned effects and smart all-black shoes. You will find our shoes are perfect fitting, supremely comfortable, exceptional in quality of workmanship and material. There is never such a complete assortment of styles and sizes to choose from. Now is the best time to be fitted while size ranges are complete. Prices run \$4.00 to \$8.00. First Floor.

Saturday Is a Good Day to Buy Children's Shoes

It is best to bring the children in the good morning hours when the department is not so busy. You will then have plenty of time to make selections and have better attention than during the busy afternoon and evening. Prices run \$1.50 to \$3.50. First Floor.